GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4107
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RAIL CONCESSIONS TO DISABLED
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether no concessions or facilities is given to disabled persons as given to thalesemia, cancer, heart and kidney patients as per Disability Act, 1995;

(b) if so, the reasons therefore; and

(c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to give concession to disabled persons also?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a): Railways are already granting concession in train fares to specified categories of disabled persons.
(b) and (c): Do not arise.